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Dear Harold,

I am sorry that I did not get to come see you during the last couple of weeks. Things just did not work out as expected. I will contact you later about a possible visit during the second half of August or in September.

I know you have plenty to do, but I am going to ask a favor of you anyway. I am enclosing a fairly brief statement about problems in the Warren Report. This is not meant to be a review or even a summary of those problems; it is only an introductory statement which will set up the discussion that follows about the creation of the Warren Commission and the selection of its members and staff. (Incidentally, two letters to the National Archives have so far gotten me nowhere in acquiring the names of potential Commission staff members that were brought up in Executive Sessions.) If you can allocate the time, I would greatly appreciate it if you would read it and tell me if you see any errors in it or if you think that I have left something out that just has to be mentioned. It is fairly short.

P.S. I THINK THEY WILL RESPOND. SOMETHING CAME AT MY OFFICE TODAY.

I have a lot done on the creation of the Warren or Rostow or McCloy-Dulles Commission (about 60 typed pages) and I am about ready to move on to the make-up of the Commission, counsel, and staff. As I have been working on this material, I have become more and more impressed with the role that Alan Belmont played for the FBI. If Hoover was the ultimate authority on this within the FBI, Belmont seems to have been the operations man.

I hope you and Lilly are doing well. Again, I am sorry we didn't make it. Talk to you or see you next month.

Sincerely,
Don Gibson

P.S. Has much happened with Never Again? ?